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POWER OUTPUT APPARATUS AND CONTROL METHOD THEREOF For (Title):

Toshifumi TAKAOKA, Katsuhiko HIROSE By (Inventors):

Formal drawings (Figs. 1-11; 8 sheets) are attached.

A Declaration and Power of Attorney is filed herewith. An assignment of the invention to TOYOTA JIDOSHA KABUSHIKI KAISHA is filed herewith.

An Information Disclosure Statement is filed herewith.

Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.

A Preliminary Amendment is filed herewith.

Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. \_\_\_\_ \_, filed

Priority of foreign application No. JP 2000-048516 filed February 25, 2000 in Japan is claimed (35 U.S.C. §119).

A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is filed herewith.

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9=	\$	<u>OR</u>	x 18	s
40 =	\$	<u>OR</u>	x 80	\$ 80
135 =	s	<u>OR</u>	+ 270	\$
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